## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Albazz et al. § Group Art Unit: 3621

Serial No.: 09/827,431 § Examiner: Elisca, Pierre E.

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For: System and Method for Generating a

Contract and Conducting Contractual Activities Under the Contract

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450

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## RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION AND ADVISORY ACTION

Sir:

No fees are believed to be required. If, however, any fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0461. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0461.

In response to the Final Office Action of August 16, 2006 and the Advisory Action of November 2, 2006 please consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.